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Docket No.: 20103/A00386-2

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

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Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 of the following application:

**Application**

Application Serial No:	09/817,005
Filed on:	March 23, 2001
Inventor:	Robert Wesley Bossemeyer, JR.
Title:	SPEECH REFERENCE ENROLLMENT METHOD
Art Unit:	2626
Examiner:	Donald Storm
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## 1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114

### a. Previously Submitted:

- i. ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_.  
(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_
- iii. ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

### b. Enclosed:

- i. ☐ Reply
- ii. ☐ Declaration Of Common Ownership
- iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- iv. ☒ Petition to accept an unintentionally delayed claim under 35 U.S.C. 120 and accompanying amendment to correct a priority claim under 35 U.S.C. § 120
- v. ☒ Petition to Withdraw from Issue under 37 C.F.R. §1.313(c)(2)

## 2. Fees

- a. ☒ A payment via Electronic Funds Transfer in the amount of \$2,290.00 is included for the following:
  - i. ☒ RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e), in the amount of \$790.00
  - ii. ☐ Extension of time fee 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.17(a)
  - iii. ☒ Petition to accept an unintentionally delayed claim under 35 U.S.C. 120 and accompanying amendment to correct a priority claim under 35 U.S.C. § 120 fee, in the amount of \$1,370.00
  - iv. ☒ Petition to Withdraw from Issue under 37 C.F.R. §1.313(c)(2), in the amount of \$130.00

- b. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 50-2455.
- i. ☒ RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)
- ii. ☐ Extension of time fee 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.17(a)
- iii. ☒ Petition to accept an unintentionally delayed claim under 35 U.S.C. 120 and accompanying amendment to correct a priority claim under 35 U.S.C. § 120
- iv ☒ Petition to Withdraw from Issue under 37 C.F.R. §1.313(c)(2)

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